REP. SHELLY SHORT, R- ADDY

A life-long Washingtonian, Shelly is serving her second term representing the 7th District which includes Ferry, Lincoln, Pend Oreille and Stevens counties and parts of Okanogan and Spokane counties.

Shelly spent 14 years as a key staffer for state and federal officials. She has an indepth knowledge of energy policies having worked on local hydro relicensing and Bonneville power issues.

In the Legislature, Shelly was chosen by her colleagues as ranking Republican on the House Environment Committee, and assistant ranking Republican on the House Technology, Energy and Communications Committee. She also serves on the Education Appropriations and Oversight Committee as well as the House Rules Committee.

She is a leader on energy issues and has been appointed to several key task forces including the Clean Energy Leadership Council, the State Energy Strategy Advisory Council, and the Ecosystem Coordination Board. Short is a recognized local and national leader on climate change and cap-and-trade issues.

Shelly is a 4-H leader, participates in the Colville Valley Gymkhana Club and enjoys skeet shooting, canoeing, swimming and gardening. She and her husband, Mitch, live in Addy with their two children, Trevor and Brianna.